

THE WEATHER

For tonight: Under probably fair, moderate north wind. Low 5.5 to 6.5 p. m. High 7.5 to 8.5 p. m. Moon rises 7:30 p. m. Temperature (at noon) Maximum 53, at noon minimum 45. At 8 a. m. average, at 8:00 p. m. Light at 8:00 p. m.

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50,000 WOUNDED HMS HALTED AT YPRES; HUNDREDS ARE CAPTURED

103 NAMES ON NEW LIST

Fifteen Dead and 86 Wounded in Latest Report From U. S. Front in France

Four more New England boys have been killed in action in France, their names appearing in today's casualty list containing 103 names, issued at Washington. A fifth New England lad died of accidental injury, and five others were wounded in action. One is reported as missing.

Three of the boys killed in action were in the 103rd Machine Gun Unit. The names of the eleven boys from this section in the list follow:

KILLED IN ACTION.
Corporal Harry P. Dumas, 102nd Machine Gun Battalion. Corporal Edward P. Wing, 102nd Machine Gun Battalion. Private Charles B. Coombs, Co. G, 104th Infantry. Private Bernard J. Fitzsimmons, 102nd Machine Gun Battalion.

DIED OF ACCIDENT.
Wagoner Fred H. Ouzo, Supply Company, 104th Infantry.

SEVERELY WOUNDED.
Wagoner Rustle Drury, Sanitary Detachment, 104th Infantry. Private Johnnie H. Body, 104th Infantry.

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MOTHER IS DEAD ON GIRL'S WEDDING DAY

Mrs. Cyrus H. Bates, who had been critically ill for a week, died at her home in Cohasset early today, the day set for the church wedding of her daughter, Miss Julia Watson Bates. Miss Bates was to be married to William H. Melcher, son of Mrs. Charles C. Melcher and the late Captain Melcher, at St. Stephen's Church. On account of the illness of Mrs. Bates the church wedding was to be a simple one. But on account of the mother's death the church ceremony plans were abandoned. Arrangements were made for the wedding to take place today, but at the Bates residence instead.

American Losses Up to Date

Killed in action	Previously Reported	Total
198	184	382
Died of disease	825	1,023
Lost at sea	237	237
Died of wounds	418	655
Civilians	7	7
Gas attacks, suicide, executed, unknown cause	48	48
Wounded	1,008	1,113
Captured	48	48
Missing	41	41
Captured or missing	2,058	2,104
Grand total	3,253	3,486

HIGGINSON QUILTS AS SYMPHONY HEAD

Major Henry L. Higginson has retired as patron and financial genius of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Announcement was made today that Major Higginson will no longer "bear the burden of the undertaking" and that the orchestra is being incorporated with nine prominent Boston men as trustees.

The trustees are now negotiating for engagement of a conductor as successor to Dr. Karl Muck, now interned at Port Oglethorpe, Fla., as an alien enemy, who shall be welcome to the public and maintain the high musical standard of the orchestra.

This great change in the affairs of the orchestra was made known in the following statement sent out today:

BRITISH WIN NAVAL FIGHT IN ADRIATIC

By International News Service.
London, April 27.—A naval engagement in the Adriatic in which two British destroyers and five Austrian destroyers to flight was announced by the British Admiralty today. The action occurred on April 22. The Austrian warships were encountered off Durazzo and the chase continued until midnight.

The British destroyers were seen killed and sixteen wounded. On the twenty-third British airmen bombed the port of Durazzo.

BIG GAIN FOR LOAN IN N. E.

Over 17 Million Subscribed to Liberty Day; Total in Nation Over Two Billion

New England's total Third Liberty Loan subscriptions to date reached \$183,944,000 with the national total, as reported from Washington, standing at \$2,113,908,000. Though New England's average is under the daily figure needed to fill the quota, the Liberty Day drive brought in \$17,064,000, the second largest for any day in the present campaign.

The Liberty Day figure is above the daily average needed and is taken to indicate this section's new energy and determination to put the great loan well "over the top" in the last days next week.

In the national race sixteen States have been placed on the honor roll to date, Kansas, New Mexico and Mississippi being the latest additions. Undoubtedly several millions more were actually subscribed in New England yesterday, as 213 banks were missing from the daily report.

The largest previous single day report was April 11, \$18,285,800. New England's total today is \$17,064,000, with some active days of campaigning.

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STOCKS AND BONDS CLOSE WEEK STRONG

New York, April 27.—The stock market closed strong today, with American bonds unchanged and railways and other bonds strong. Bond prices rose to 115 and 116, with the 3 1/2 per cent U. S. bonds, which had sold as low as 75, came back to 95. Bond prices moved up over one point, and Industrial 3 1/2 per cent moved up 1/4 to 123 1/4. Reading moved up one point to 49 1/4.

ASKS LORD RHONDDA TO RETAIN HIS POST

London, April 27.—Lord Rhonda, Florida, is urging Lord Rhonda to retain his post in the Central News. It was stated that Lord Rhonda may consent to remain at his post.

WAKE UP, NEW ENGLAND! BUY MORE LIBERTY BONDS!

"Wake up, New England! Buy Liberty Bonds!" That's the keynote of a vigorous exhortation by the Third Liberty Loan Committee of New England. Here's New England's lagging showing:

Quota	\$250,000,000
Subscribed	183,944,000
Subscriptions needed	66,056,000

Slugg attendance at the Liberty Loan mass meeting in Symphony Hall, where United States Senator Weeks of this State, United States Senator Watson of Indiana, and Congressman James A. Gallivan of South Boston spoke to only a few hundred persons, has impelled the Third Liberty Loan Committee of New England to issue the following appeal and warning:

"The people of Greater Boston who were not present at Symphony Hall last night to hear United States Senator Weeks of Massachusetts and United States Senator Watson of Indiana and Congressman Gallivan of Massachusetts speak for the Liberty Loan should regret it. What is the trouble with Boston? What is the trouble with New England regarding the third Liberty Loan? Wake up! Wake up! Buy Liberty bonds. Buy! Buy! Buy! Our boys say you must!"

BASEBALL STARS IN LINEUP FOR SUNDAY

Army vs. Navy.
Baseball game for the Boston American Camp Devens Baseball Fund.

Time—Tomorrow, 2:30 p. m.
Place—Braves Field.
Admission free.
Radio School Band.

Hitting J. Edgar Hoover, executive in all ready and set for the big Sunday baseball game at Braves Field tomorrow in behalf of the Boston fund.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT

Boston bank clearances, \$42,231,134.
New York bank clearances, \$100,452.
New York bank clearances, \$102,119,102.
New York Sub-Treasury, debit, \$1,000,000.

SUNDAY'S LINEUP

Camp Devens (Army)
Maloney, c.
Huggins, 2b.
Doran, 3b.
Parker, 1b.
Parker, ss.
Huggins, 1b.
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Masses, p.
To reach Verdun.
New York, April 27.—The fact which has been concerning the law against editors of The Times charged with conspiracy to disseminate information, reported it had been unable to reach a verdict and was discharged shortly before noon today. It had been out nearly forty-two hours.

BRITISH MAKE NEW GAINS IN THE AMIENS SECTOR

By FLOYD MACGRIFF, International News Service Staff Correspondent

London, April 27.—Powerful German efforts to smash through the Franco-British lines along the Belgian frontier in an evident attempt to "pocket" Ypres all failed before the brilliant defense of the French and British soldiers, according to the War Office report today.

The Germans made strong efforts late yesterday and last night to extend their gains north and west of Kemmelhill on the Flanders front, but were held at every point and their assaults resulted only in severe losses for them.

The British again extended their lines at Villers-Bretonneux on the Picardy front, east of Amiens, capturing 900 German prisoners.

After four violent assaults the Germans captured Locre, between five and six miles southwest of Ypres, but the allied forces rallied brilliantly and retook the place in a storming attack during the night.

German artillery bombarded the Allied lines heavily north of the Lys River.

The Germans tried vainly to capture Voormezele. On the Picardy front the Germans made a tank attack, but it was broken up under the fire of the British artillery.

The official statement is full follows: "The fighting in this area during the whole week has been one of the most severe since the start of the war."

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PREMIER AGAIN OFFERS TO QUIT IN AUSTRIA

London, April 27.—Premier Lloyd George today offered to resign his position as a result of declarations made in Germany.

The Premier asked Mr. Lloyd George for time to consider the matter. The suggestion of an Austrian attack on the Imperial family in the night.

The "suggestion" referred to was widely related to the exposure of the "pope" (Lloyd George) in addressing a group in the House of Commons.

REPORT CONSCRIPTION IN IRELAND NEXT WEEK

London, April 27.—According to a Central News dispatch from Dublin reports are current in Dublin circles that an order is in contemplation for conscription in Ireland will be signed next week.

TEN INJURED IN AMMONIA EXPLOSION

Chicago, April 27.—Ten persons were injured today in an explosion of ammonia at the city's main building.

The explosion occurred at the city's main building, which is used for the storage of ammonia.

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SUBSCRIBED—IN 18 DAYS

\$2,113,998,000

NEEDED—IN 7 DAYS

\$886,002,000

NEW ENGLAND TODAY LACKS \$66,056,000

BRITISH PERILSE TERRIFIC GERMAN ATTACKS SOUTH OF YPRES

ENEMIES EXTEND POSITIONS EAST OF AMIENS, TAKING MANY PRISONERS

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The enemy made repeated and determined attempts to improve his gains. After a fluctuating battle of many hours the enemy was held at all points.

The enemy's losses were heavy.

"Assaults against French positions in the Luce-Landry sector were preceded with violence, which after a long struggle, resulted in our hands.

"Three attacks were made, but all were beaten off with great loss.

"In the fourth attempt the Germans succeeded in capturing the village.

"In the evening we counter-attacked and drove out the enemy, retaining possession of the village.

"Hostile attacks were repulsed at other points also.

"Fierce fighting took place north of Kemmel and in the neighborhood of Ypres, where the enemy, after a long struggle, remained in our hands.

"In the afternoon further heavy attacks developed in the neighborhood of the wood southwest of Ypres, where the enemy was repulsed.

NO MORE PRISONERS.

"Hundreds of prisoners remained in our hands.

"Also we captured many prisoners in the region of the Luce-Landry sector.

"South of the Somme river fighting continued during the afternoon and evening, when the enemy was repulsed, and we were able to take advantage of the allied force.

"The German Ypres-Hindenburg line of 20 miles, from the Luce-Landry sector to the Luce-Landry sector, was broken up and we captured many prisoners.

"In the Luce-Landry sector, where the enemy made repeated attempts to improve his gains, the enemy was repulsed.

"Elsewhere there is nothing to report.

FRENCH BEAT OFF ATTACK.

A German attack was made last night against the French in the Thiennes sector (southwest of Amiens) on the Picardy front, but was beaten off. The Paris War Office announced today.

"There was considerable fighting in the region of Hancourt and Villers-Bretonneux, where the enemy was repulsed, and we were able to take advantage of the allied force.

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"Elsewhere there is nothing to report.

Same Tactics Employed
by the Germans as in All the Subsidiary Drives.

By FRANK CHARLTON.
International News Service Cable Editor.

The Germans are now using the same tactics against the British as they did against the French.

R. H. STEARNS CO.

APRIL GARMENT SALE

- SUITS—Navy, black, tan, gray, and black, and white checks. \$28
- SUITS—Navy, black, tan, gray, and black, and white checks. \$35
- COATS—All wool, cloth coats, in 19.50
- COATS—Fine quality, cloth coats, street and dress styles. \$35
- GOWNS—Tulle, silk dresses and Georgette and silk combinations. \$19.50
- GOWNS—Silk dresses in attractive afternoon styles. \$25
- BLOUSES—Voile, \$2.50
- BLOUSES—Voile, \$3.50
- BLOUSES—Georgette, \$5
- BLOUSES—Georgette, \$5.75
- SKIRTS—White gab, \$3.95
- SKIRTS—New plaid, \$16.50

- FOR MISSES AND SMALL WOMEN
- SUITS—34 Suits of navy serge, crepe and gabardine, tailored models and fitted effects, early season prices \$13.00 and \$17.50 each. Now \$25.50
- 7 Suits of navy blue serge and tulle, early season prices \$40.00 and \$50.00 each. Now \$32.50
- NAVY BLUE SERGE DRESSES—Sleeves 15 and 18 only. 65 Dresses, of fine quality navy blue serge, in a variety of this season's desired styles, many have collars and vests, of Georgette, crepe, others are braided or button trimmed. Early season prices \$20.00 to \$25.00 each. Now \$13.50
- SILK DRESSES—12 Silk, crepe de Chine and Georgette, in 19.50, 24.50, 29.50, 34.50, 39.50, 44.50, 49.50, 54.50, 59.50, 64.50, 69.50, 74.50, 79.50, 84.50, 89.50, 94.50, 99.50, 104.50, 109.50, 114.50, 119.50, 124.50, 129.50, 134.50, 139.50, 144.50, 149.50, 154.50, 159.50, 164.50, 169.50, 174.50, 179.50, 184.50, 189.50, 194.50, 199.50, 204.50, 209.50, 214.50, 219.50, 224.50, 229.50, 234.50, 239.50, 244.50, 249.50, 254.50, 259.50, 264.50, 269.50, 274.50, 279.50, 284.50, 289.50, 294.50, 299.50, 304.50, 309.50, 314.50, 319.50, 324.50, 329.50, 334.50, 339.50, 344.50, 349.50, 354.50, 359.50, 364.50, 369.50, 374.50, 379.50, 384.50, 389.50, 394.50, 399.50, 404.50, 409.50, 414.50, 419.50, 424.50, 429.50, 434.50, 439.50, 444.50, 449.50, 454.50, 459.50, 464.50, 469.50, 474.50, 479.50, 484.50, 489.50, 494.50, 499.50, 504.50, 509.50, 514.50, 519.50, 524.50, 529.50, 534.50, 539.50, 544.50, 549.50, 554.50, 559.50, 564.50, 569.50, 574.50, 579.50, 584.50, 589.50, 594.50, 599.50, 604.50, 609.50, 614.50, 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ASK FOR BETTER REPORTS FROM JEWISH YOUNG PEOPLE IN WAR WORK

War Department Sharply Criticized for Delays and Lack of Detail

By International News Service.
Washington, April 27.—Continued silence of the War Department concerning the military exploits of American expeditionary units has brought from members of the House Military Committee a sharp protest.

At the weekly conference between the committee and the war council, members asked why daily statements similar to those of other belligerent nations cannot be issued.

The congressman said that some casual lists, many of them not up to date, are appearing in newspapers throughout the country. A similar message is to be conveyed to the department today by the Senate Military Committee.

Senator Jones of Washington, in a statement, said the government must not only inflicting an injustice on the men, but was neglecting an opportunity to stimulate patriotic feeling by letting each community know of the experience of its boys at the front.

One of the members of the House committee told the department that a town of 200 in his district, "45-four casualties (telegrams were received by the town from the military headquarters) in one day, where the boys had fought; whether they had been actually killed, or whether they were wounded, or how they had conducted themselves in their first baptism of fire."

PRIDE WAS LACKING.

The town being aware with pride at its soldiers' part in the great battle, it was a source of pride and gratification. He reported that one mother who was so proud of her son that she was wounded, hurried a request to the War Department for a medal to be given to him to his condition, and other facts. She was informed.

He said that the department could give no information, and she was further told to write to her commander, Major Matt to France, to further inform the department, frequently takes sixty days for a reply and if the son had been sent to a hospital removed from the company command, the mother of the fighting, it might be still longer before she could receive the medal.

Strangely contrasted with this, members of the committee pointed out the practice of the British government of not only giving official recognition, but where troops fight individual countries, such as York, which is a source of pride and gratification to the people.

The department officials, while giving no direct reply to the protests, indicated they had come to feel the popular demand for more news about the army. Committee members felt that the continued Congressional and popular pressure would bring the War Department to a realization of its policy as much from the Jewish people as from the rest of the country.

During publishing the casualty lists from the marine corps has attracted attention of several Jewish leaders and has caused unfavorable comment.

Senator Jones said: "I certainly do not wish to be put in the position of criticizing the war council, but I do not wish to see the long has elapsed since the engagement, before the lists were printed."

"Probably the War Department, under its policy of letting the relatives of soldiers know before the lists were published. But that cannot have been a very long time."

SAVES GERMAN'S KNOW.

The Germans seem to know all that we know. What harm can it do to tell in this country where they are so friendly to the Germans, who are aware of conditions in England, the facts as they are published, that 132 American prisoners had been taken. We have yet to see how far it is true, whether these men have been captured or not. I do not think we have any right to think that the publication of localities from which these soldiers were wounded or killed, would have an effect on the war at home. The knowledge that a man comes from a certain place, especially when that place is near to our own borders, brings it home to us much more forcibly than when we do not know exactly where he came from.

"The knowledge that a boy from a certain town has given his life or has been wounded in defense of his country would be the very thought that would fire other men who knew him or who came from his own town, to give their services to the war."

"We would have more information, especially if it will do harm to our military plans. And I certainly do not think it can affect the situation to tell where our boys come from, or to publish more quickly what has happened to them."

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Harvard, 20.	Subera, Jr.	Corbett was seen to steady him-

second they be had made this week. He brought his total to 11,000. He purchased 100 more at \$1.00 each. He is now in Neb. his home city.

An excellent throw came out to bid and the pitcher was out. The pitcher who joins the colors May 1.

Coulon Army Boxing Tutor
Chicago, April 27.—Johnny Coulon, former bantamweight champion of the world, has been appointed boxing instructor at Camp Travis, San Antonio, Tex.



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Presenting an entirely different style of milling than he did at the Amana two weeks ago, Pete Hartley, New York's Durable Bane, fairly out-classed Young Blades of Woonsocket in the feature set-to of twelve rounds, at the Commercial A.

Hartley's guard was well nigh impregnable. Once or twice in the latter section Blades broke through, but only because of his dogged effort and superior strength.

The Woonsocket boy's sledge hammer rights, so prominent in his last meeting with Hartley, were almost nil. The few that did land carried little steam behind them.

Hartley worked a left jab and right cross to perfection. As a combination they had Blades all at sea.

Henri Le Bouef of New Bedford won a hairline decision over Ray Gibbs of Woonsocket in the ten-round semi-final. So close and terrific was the milling that the "house" was practically split at the final gong. Referee Conley decided in favor of Le Bouef, and, in my opinion, did the proper thing.

Le Bouef hit Gibbs extremely low early in the first round, but after a rest the Woonsocket contestant went at it again, though

GOSSIP OF GLOVELAND
—By J. P. MURPHY—

PATERSON, J. J. announced his bid charge is ready to meet any boy in New England from 120 to 128 pounds ringside. Boney is undefeated and ready to match him with Al Schubert of New Bedford and will give \$100 for weight and appearance and will limit the Schubert contingent to willie.

FIM WILL meet Johnny Borsley of South Boston in the semifinals of the Egan-Brown match at the Arena, May 7. The boys are contracted to meet 128 pounds ringside and were posted \$100 for weight and appearance.

JOHNNY GALLANT of Chelsea, who three years ago stood up as one of the finest promising lightweight in this section, is in the ring **will** be physically. The friends here called in to see him.

matchmaker the Douglas C. Robinson, chairman, May 8. Johnny Dundee, Galtch's last ring opponent, has started the list of subscriptions with \$50.

JEFF SMITH of Bayonne, N. J., 464 of Louis Kahn's boxing instructor, has come here to meet boxing hopefuls of Bayonne, N. J., the main bout at the Commercial A. C., next Friday night.

FRANK MACK of Beachmont and Paul Davis of New York will be the principals in one of the two twelve-round bouts at Atlanticville, R. I., next Tuesday night.

MATCHMAKER JACK Leonard of the Irving A. C., Gladens, today announced the complete card for Monday night's sport as follows: Paddy

JOE MIVERS of Gloucester, England, Pansy and Joe Davis to the final final to the World Billiard set to at the Arena next Tuesday night.

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PAUL DEMERS, New England heavyweight champion, will defend his title against Young Montreal at Providence in a twelve-round bout at Newport next Wednesday night.

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LEO ANDERSON, colored light heavyweight, to meet for second time



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RECORD RUN IN SNOW DRIFTS AND MUD

By C. F. DONNOCKER.

Recently a party of four enthusiastic automobilists left the Hotel Lenox at 115 & N. for what was a very remarkable trip. They made a run of 425 miles through the White Mountains, returning by way of Maine, in 23 hours and 16 minutes, in a Chrysler "hot road" touring car.

Frank Allen, manager of the Chrysler Motor Company of New England, Ray Smith, a member of the Boston organization, Frank E. Colby, Boston newspaper man, and Lieutenant Charles Hanna of New York made the trip.

It rained hard all the way. Snow in great quantities was encountered. The mud was almost impossible from intervals to Poland Spring. It should be remembered that usually the reports of the trip have been made back through New Hampshire via Rochester, but the Chrysler party detoured through the north to Poland Spring, and Portland.

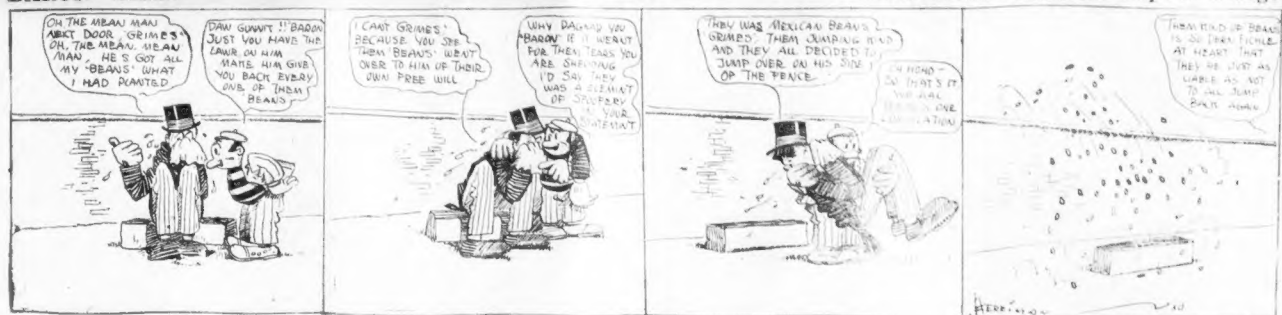
TRUCKS AND SNOW.
At the Falmes House show was first encountered, but the party continued to Detroit, Woods was back, reaching the Mount Washington House at 10:30, where they were welcomed by A. P. McLaughlin, custodian, who certified to the time of the car's arrival.

The route from Bretton Woods to the Crawford House, although it is but a few miles, was hard. The road was up-grade all the way. Deep snow drifts presented themselves at frequent intervals. Each time the car faced a deep drift it was given a good shove, and it proceeded a short distance. Then the operation was repeated many times.

At one point the drift was so deep that the rear of the car rested on the snow. The wheels spinning in the air. The differential was locked by means of a rope tied to the left-hand rear front wheel, which one of the men held. The rope on the right-hand side of the car was tied to the forward part of the right rear wheel, and, hence, to a tree. The clutch was then let in, and, as the wheel revolved the car was pulled ahead, but by no means.

BARON BEAN

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These Beans Should Be Kept in a Cage

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You Can See the Combination's Busted

POLLY AND HER PALS

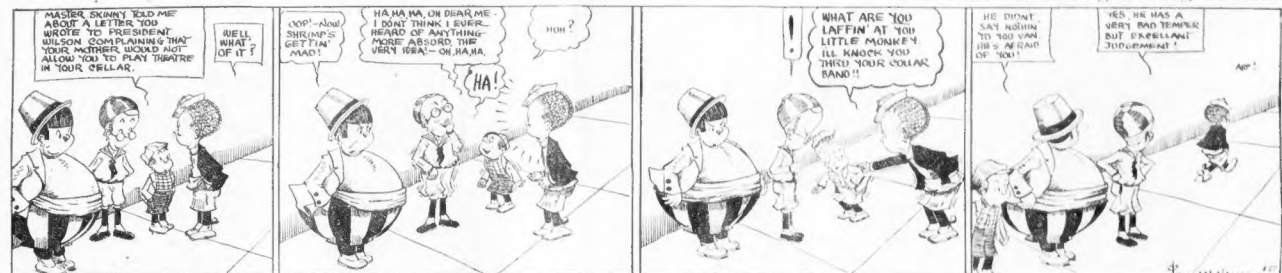
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How Did Pa Get Him Into the Bag?

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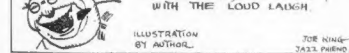
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Van Must Be Taking Boxing Lessons

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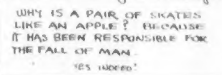
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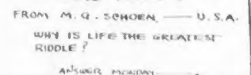
STEP THIS
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Answer to Yesterday's
WHY IS A PAIR OF SKATES
LIKE AN APPLE? BECAUSE
IT HAS BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR
THE FALL OF MAN.



FROM M. G. SCHORN — U.S.A.
WHY IS LIFE THE GREATEST
RIDDLE?



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A Gas Attack

CHAUFFEUR BLAMED FOR BLEWETT FIRE

Robert B. Ross, chauffeur for the Henry Hewitt Company, was held in Brooklyn Court for a contempt hearing on May 7 on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the fire which destroyed the Blewett bakery on Winchester street, Brooklyn, Friday, and caused the death of five men. Ross pleaded not guilty. He is accused of "anton negligence" in driving a delivery automobile into a heated part of the factory premises, a claim, so that the dynamite exploded and started the fire. The manslaughter charge is based on the death of two of the victims, Joseph Silvers of Boston and Richard Heffner of New York.

Manufacturers Want Trained Workmen

Then Let Them PRODUCE Trained Workmen. The Law Helps Those That Help Themselves
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Instead of complaining about lack of skilled men, great manufacturers of the country should in each big enterprise include a department in which men may ACQUIRE SKILL.

This suggestion was made the other day in this column:

Let big manufacturers do for the raw material of LABOR what they do for other raw material. Develop it for their own use.

Every big manufacturer takes in men, tries them, throws them out, takes in others, and so on, wasting time and money.

How much simpler to take trouble with human beings, with human labor, as you take trouble with other raw products.

Have one department, under competent direction, to teach the man to do the work that you want him to do.

Skilled labor is scarce, but human beings are still fairly plentiful.

The manufacturer is willing to devote effort, heat, expense and thought to the ore that he gets out of the ground. He does not expect it suddenly to become finished steel, ready for his work.

He should devote thought and effort also to training the men that come out of the crowds, and are not able to transform themselves miraculously into skilled workers but must have instruction and access to machines.

On this subject we receive an interesting letter from Mr. H. E. Miles, who is chairman of the section on industrial training for the War Emergency Committee, over which Mr. Gompers presides.

Mr. Miles writes:

Dear Sir—
A thousand thanks for your editorial on training workers.

You will be interested to know that great industries like Bethlehem Steel, the Wright-Martin Aircraft Company of New Brunswick, N. J., the Standard Aircraft of Elizabeth, a half dozen of the leading factories in Buffalo, including the Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Company, the employees of Rochester and of Detroit, and many others are instituting this training.

Their doing this is a community matter in many places, so that employers will not prey upon one another in the same community and communities will not prey upon one another to the general disaster and hurt.

A motor company of Detroit has

Employers complain that their fellow-employees rob them of their men.

The employers themselves are to blame. When they need men, instead of developing them, giving them a chance, they go to the nearest manufacturer and endeavor to steal his men.

Hiring men back and forth from each other up to a certain point is an excellent thing—as it raises the wages of the men, and that is desirable.

But the nation's work must be done, and it can't be done by seeing which employer can get workers from his neighbor.

It must be done by supplying to the men that are willing to use it as Mr. Miles shows, the skill that is needed.

What China Saves by War on Germany

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By declaring war on the central empires China has saved an immense sum in indemnities that were going forward monthly to Berlin and Vienna to "expiate" the results of the Boxer uprising.

These payments, which now never will be resumed because of all treaties with the central empires have been cancelled, amounted monthly to \$94,360, says an article in the North China Herald (of which Germany received \$31,160 and Austria \$3,200), or \$772,320 annually until 1931, when a new and larger series of monthly payments would have gone into effect until the whole indemnity would be wiped out in 1940, the amount being about \$13,000,000. That is one item representing an actual saving of many millions of pounds sterling.

The United States has annually remitted the amount paid to her, with the stipulation that it be spent on the education of Chinese youth in the United States, hence the annual batch of "indemnity students" to America, of whom two lots have left recently.

Once Overs

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ALL PULL TOGETHER
If America and her allies are to win the war speedily and with honor, it means that every man, woman and child, black or white, rich or poor, young or old, the bootblack and the millionaire, the street cleaner and the architect, the lady's maid and the sheltered home body, the educated and the ignorant must join hands and pull all together, at the same time and the same way.

Co-operation and co-ordination, these are the two words to express it. Not one pull a little while and fall down, another pull it so and so fast; another drop out because the company is a mixed one, and so on down the list.

No great good can come in this war, if we learn that we are all brothers and sisters; we are all living and breathing the same free air and eat the seed of the same seedling to develop each along his or her particular bent.

Live and let live. Help and be helped. Lend a hand where it is needed, and be ready to extend the same courtesy to others. These are the principles that the American people must learn and the sooner they realize the meaning of "standing self in behalf of the cause" the sooner the world will be safe for democracy.

Keep the Light Burning



When She Read HIS Letter



SMITHSONIAN MUSEUMS OF RARE VALUE

By Garrett P. Serviss

IT would be impossible to analyze the educational advantages and resources that Washington possesses in the great Smithsonian Institution. We can see in a brief glance at such an apparently uninteresting feature as the sale of the invertebrate fossils in the National Museum what a wonderful school it is, equally good for popular and technical instruction.

There, where most visitors unfortunately hurry by, unconscious of the enormous value and significance of what is spread under their eyes, we find monuments of history a hundred million years old, tangible proofs that so long ago as that the raindrops dented the sands, and the wavelets carved them into rippling lines, while beautiful living creatures gave animation to the sloping beaches of vanished seas, in whose places mountain-crowned continents now stand.

The Little Shub

There is one little scene in that theatre of petrified wonders that any intelligent person might be glad to travel a thousand miles to look upon. It is a slab of stone formed from the pressed sands of a Silurian ocean beach, dotted with the fossils of that delicate little shell-housed creature called "lingula," and, looking upon it, one sees how, as the rills of water trickled down the slopes at the fall of the ancient tide, they eddied round the tiny bodies of the lingula, and, as the sand on the lower side, and sometimes tumbled the animals over and over before leaving them at rest, and all these things, the tumbled lingulae, the eroded rill marks, the eddy-formed holes, are there today just as they were left (except that the water has vanished and the sands and the animals have been changed into rock), ten thousand times ten thousand years ago! It is the awful vista of almost limitless antiquity through which we view it, that raises that glimpse of life on a Silurian seashore to the dignity of the highest history.

Now, I suggest that we regard the Smithsonian museums as historical libraries—libraries of earth-history—and see something more of the interminable tale that they tell to all who will take the trouble to read it. It should prove a delight and a wonder—to understand it.

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EVE'S WAY IS PUZZLE TO VEXED ONE

By Mrs. Wilson Woodrow

THE outworn idea that you can beat, or force, or drive anybody into doing as you want them to is not the sole monopoly of junkerdom.

It is junkerdom's chief stock in trade, of course, but the supply has not been entirely cornered. We all of us encounter it now and then, either in our own experience or that of some one whom we know. A young married man of Boston has recently submitted to me in a letter a long account of his matrimonial tribulations, consisting chiefly of a series of complaints against his wife, and has asked me for my advice.

Advice to Friends

He admits that he has previously sought the counsel of various friends and acquaintances through a hypothetical question in which he presents his own experiences as having been undergone by some one he knows. The result in each instance has been, "If that fellow I'd kill her," or "beat her," "I'd hand her a wallop," and other suggestions of similar tenor.

I am not surprised. Nine out of ten persons on hearing his story would unthinkingly prescribe the same heroic remedy. But he himself is evidently in doubt as to its efficacy. Nor is he willing to accept the other horn of the dilemma, and leave the woman who he says is making his life miserable.

I have only the picture he draws of his wife to go by. According to that, she is young, somewhat flighty, extremely fond of admiration, demanding constant amusement, and excited—of a family enough type. She may have these qualities in the exaggerated degree that he intimates, or his representation may be prejudiced. At any rate, she has the encouragement and support of her mother.

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